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Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
C/o Carol Timberlake
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Subject: Tariff to provide for Tax Equity Payment Credit to Business Customers

RE: DOCKET NO. 05-00235

Dear Ms. Timberlake:

Enclosed are thirteen copies of the subject tariff revision for review and approval:

1. Correction to information omitted from Section 12 of the Table of Contents.
2. Section 3.1.2.3.2 reflects the reduced business rates resulting from the 2005 Tax Equity Payment received by BLC.
3. Section 12.3 reflects the reduced installation rate for business services resulting from the 2005 Tax Equity Payment.
4. Attachment A reflects the work sheet indicating how the Tax Equity Payment is applied.

An additional copy of this letter is enclosed. Please date stamp and return it in the enclosed stamped, self-addressed envelope.

If you have any questions relative to the tariff revision, please call me at 931-668-6607.

Sincerely,

Carrie Huckeby
Competitive Services Manager
Enclosure (13)
cc: Levoy Knowles

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3 Service Descriptions (Cont'd)

3 1 Local Exchange Service (Cont'd)

3 1 2 Basic Access (Cont'd)

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3 1 2 3 2 Recurring Charges

Calls within the local calling scope are not billed based upon usage. IntraLATA toll usage will be billed at tariffed rates as set forth in the company's Message Toll Services Tariff, Tennessee T R A No 3, unless individual case based pricing is applicable. The following flat rate charges apply.

	<u>Monthly</u>
Basic Residential Access – Line Charge	\$ 9 70
Basic Business Access – Line Charge	\$23 82 ¹
Multi-Line Trunk Charge	\$23 82 ¹
Business – 12 Month Term Agreement Charge	\$18 82 ¹

¹ Reflects the October 1, 2005, tax relief pass through amount of \$1 18 (T)

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12 Tax Equity Pass Through Reduction for Business Customers (Cont'd)

- 12 3 2005 Tax Equity Pass Through Reduction for Business Customers (N)
Beginning October 1, 2005, continuing through September 30, 2006, non-recurring
Charges for new or additional business services including Basic Business and Multi-Line
Access Line Charges, Business-12 Month Agreement Charges, Payphone Transmission
Line Charges will be \$0 The new rate applies to new or additional business services
added and does not apply to changes to, moves of, or reconnect from removal
due to non-payment, of existing services

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ATTACHMENT A

Service Description	No Units August 2,005	Total Pass Through Amount Annually	Total Pass Through Amount Monthly	Current Monthly Rate	Proposed Monthly Rate	Proposed Monthly Rate Reduction	Tariff Section 3 1 2 3 2 Access Rates and Charges
Basic Business & MultiLine Access Line Charge	521	7,164 96	597 08	25 00	23 82	1 18	
Business 12 Month Agreement Charge	1,229	\$ 17,402 64	\$ 1,450 22	\$ 20 00	\$ 18 82	\$ 1 18	
Payphone Transmission Line	5	\$ 70 80	\$ 5 90	\$ 37 50	\$ 36 32	\$ 1 18	
TOTAL	1,755	\$24,638 40	\$2,053 20				
Total Installation Reduction		\$ 9,750 00					
Total Pass Through Reduction		\$ 34,388 40					
Equity Payment Received		\$ 41,117 56					
Carry Over Amount 2003-2004		\$ (6,729 16)					

* Payphone Transmission Line based on 1 1/2 times the Business and Multi Line Access Charge

Service Description	No Units Oct 2,004 August 2,005	Estimated Units August 2,005 August 2,006	Rate Reduction Per Unit	Total Rate Reduction	Tariff Section 12.1
Basic Business & Multi-Line Access Installation Charge	300	150	65.00	9,750.00	
Total Reduction in Business Installation Charges				\$ 9,750.00	

Check Sheet

The title page and pages 1 through 80 inclusive of this Tariff are effective as of the dates shown. Original and revised pages, as named below, comprise all changes from the original tariff in effect on the date indicated.

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